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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for a 3 months extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIM						\$	195.00	=	\$	0.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE									\$	0.00	
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE									\$	555.00	
RCE FEE									\$	405.00	
GRAND TOTAL									\$	960.00	

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$960.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

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